

Training Act of 1983. Testimony was heard from Dorothy L. Starbuck, Chief Benefits Director, VA; William C. Plowden, Jr., Assistant Secretary for Veterans' Employment, Department of Labor; representatives of veterans' organizations and a public witness.

TRADE REMEDY LAWS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade continued hearings on options to improve the trade remedy laws. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 4.

NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization continued hearings in executive session on the National Foreign Intelligence Program Budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue April 26.

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Wednesday, April 20, 1983

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9093-9230

Measures Introduced: Seventeen bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1103-1119, S. Con. Res. 26, and S. Res. 116-119. Page 9172

International Trade and Investment Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 144, to ensure the continued expansion of reciprocal market opportunities in trade, trade in services, and investment for the United States, with committee amendments and amendments proposed thereto. Page 9110

By 39 yeas to 59 nays, three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not having voted in the affirmative, Senate failed to agree to a motion to close further debate on Kasten Amendment No. 522, to repeal the withholding of tax from interest and dividends. Page 9131

By 94 yeas to 3 nays, Senate agreed to a Baker motion to waive section 311 of the Budget Act. Page 9131

By 60 yeas to 37 nays, Senate tabled Melcher Amendment No. 1181 to the Baker motion to waive section 311 of the Budget Act. Page 9131

Pending:

(1) Dole motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Finance, with instructions that the committee report the bill immediately with certain amendments thereto. Page 9131

(2) Kasten motion to amend the Dole motion to recommit, with Amendment No. 1179, in the nature of a substitute. Page 9134

(3) Dole motion to amend Kasten motion to Dole motion to recommit, with Amendment No. 1180, in the nature of a substitute. Page 9138

(4) Long Amendment No. 1193 (to Kasten Amendment No. 1179) of a perfecting Page 9157

Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Thursday, April 21.

Nomination Confirmed: Senate confirmed the nomination of Vice Admiral Ronald J. Hays, U.S. Navy, to be Vice Chief of Naval Operations, with the grade of Admiral while so serving. Page 9230

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Nominations Confirmed: Page 9230

Quorum Call: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—6) Page 9131

Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—60) Pages 9131, 9156, 9157

Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 6:01 p.m., until 12 noon, on Thursday, April 21, 1983.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1984 for agriculture and rural development programs, receiving testimony from Senators Leahy and Jepsen; and numerous public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—U.S. COURTS/ITC/MARITIME ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1984, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Charles Clark, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, and Judge Solomon Blatt, Jr., U.S. District Judge for the District of South Carolina, both on behalf of the Judicial Conference of the United States; William E. Foley, Director, Adminis-

trative Office of the United States Courts; A. Leo Levin, Director, Federal Judicial Center; Alfred E. Eckes, Chairman, International Trade Commission; and H. E. Shear, Maritime Administrator, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation.

Also, Subcommittee received testimony from numerous public witnesses in behalf of funds for those programs which fall within the jurisdiction of the subcommittee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense continued hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1984 for certain defense related programs, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 10.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOSSIL ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1984, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for fossil energy research and development from Jan W. Mares, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Fossil Energy.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—EXECUTIVE/OMB

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1984, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from John F. W. Rogers, Special Assistant to the President for Management, and Director, Office of Administration; Colonel Michael O. Wheeler, Staff Secretary, National Security Council; Joshua A. Muss, Executive Director, Property Review Board; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed hearings on S. 675, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1984 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the MX missile program and the recommendations of the President's Commission on Strategic Forces, receiving testimony from George P. Shultz, Secretary of State; and Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Harry O'Connor, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NATURAL GAS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee continued markup of S. 615, providing for a free market to establish long-term incentives to produce and market ample natural gas supplies at a reasonable cost, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

TVA/CLINCH RIVER

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Regional and Community Development concluded hearings to review the Tennessee Valley Authority participation in alternative financing for the Clinch River Breeder Reactor project, focusing on the Department of Energy's refusal to specify the cost and source of plutonium fuel for the project, after receiving testimony from William R. Voigt, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary of Energy for Uranium Enrichment and Assessment; William F. Willis, General Manager, and Lewis Wallace, Deputy General Counsel, both of the Tennessee Valley Authority; and William Chandler, representing the Environmental Policy Center, Washington, D.C.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee completed markup, but did not take final action thereon, the following bills:

S. 639, to authorize supplemental funds for fiscal year ending September 30, 1983 to promote the economic and political stability of Lebanon;

S. 609, to authorize funds for U.S. participation in the African Development Fund; and

S. 984, to authorize funds for U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank.

Also, the committee began markup of S. 660, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1984 and 1985 for the Department of State, S. 734, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1984 and 1985 for the U.S. Information Agency, and S. 694, to authorize supplemental funds for fiscal year ending September 30, 1983, and to authorize funds for fiscal years 1984 and 1985 for the Board for International Broadcasting, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts, and Humanities approved

for full committee consideration with amendments S. 530, to provide Federal assistance to upgrade instruction in mathematics, science, computer technology and foreign languages in the nation's institutions, and to provide assistance for employment-based vocational training programs.

AUTHORIZATIONS—SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee concluded hearings on S. 840, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1984, 1985, and 1986 for the National Museum Act, S. 929, to remove the authorization ceiling on Barro Colorado Island in the Republic of Panama for expenses related to preserving and conserving its natural features for research purposes, and S. 930, to authorize the purchase of land by the Smithsonian Institution in Arizona for the permanent headquarters of the Fred Lawrence Whipple Observatory, after receiving testimony from S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary, Phillip S. Hughes, Under Secretary, David Challinor, Assistant Secretary for Science, and Paul N. Perrot, Assistant Secretary for Museum Programs, all of the Smithsonian Institution.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 578, to establish an adult day health care program and community residential care facilities, to add dysthymic disorder as a presumptive disease which is used as a basis for disability compensation and eligibility for VA medical care, and to place restrictions on beneficiary travel to and from VA medical facilities for treatment, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill incorporates certain provisions of S. 11, S. 567, S. 629, and S. 664); and

S. 636, to provide for judicial review of certain administrative decisions of the Veterans' Administration, to codify certain VA adjudication procedures, to improve the VA appeals process, to require the VA to comply with certain rulemaking procedures, and to provide for reasonable fees to attorneys serving as legal counsel for veterans, with an amendment.

VETERANS JOB TRAINING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 992, and S. 1033, bills to provide emergency job training and employment programs for veterans, after receiving testimony from William C. Plowden, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Veterans' Employment; Donald Shasteen, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for Veterans' Employment; Dorothy Starbuck, Chief Benefits Director, James P. Kane, Assistant General Counsel, June Shaefer, As-

sistant Director for Policy and Program Administration Education Service, and Stephen L. Lemons, Director, Vocational Rehabilitation and Counseling Service, all of the Veterans' Administration; and Paul Egan and James G. Bourie, both on behalf of the American Legion, and Phil Mayo, and Kim Graham, both on behalf of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, and Ronald W. Drach, Disabled American Veterans, all of Washington, D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 2627-2670; 2 private bills, H.R. 2671 and 2672; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 242-244, H. Con. Res. 112 and 113, and H. Res. 164-167 were introduced. Page 9286

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2175, to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, amended (H. Rept. 98-68);

H. Res. 164, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2065, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and research and program management (H. Rept. 98-69); and

H.R. 1692, to amend section 171 of title 10, United States Code, to provide that the Commandant of the Marine Corps shall be a member of the Armed Forces Policy Council (H. Rept. 98-70). Page 9286

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Wright as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page 9231

Technical Correction: By unanimous consent agreed to amend the title to H.J. Res. 158, to make technical correction in the Act of January 25, 1983 (P.L. 97-459), considered under suspension of the rules on Tuesday, April 19. Page 9231

Nuclear Weapons Freeze: House continued consideration of H.J. Res. 13, calling for a mutual and verifiable freeze on and reductions in nuclear weapons; but came to no resolution thereon. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule are scheduled to continue on Thursday, April 21.

Pending when the Committee of the Whole rose were:

An amendment that seeks to clarify the intent of the resolution as it relates to the United States commitment to the NATO allies; and

An amendment to the foregoing amendment that seeks to obligate the United States to consult with the NATO alliance and to take into consideration their views, but reserves for the United States the final decision.

Agreed To:

An amendment that clarifies the position of Congress that Western deterrence should continue to be based upon strategic arms control as well as force improvements and that such actions be done in consultation with the NATO allies;

An amendment in the nature of a substitute to the foregoing amendment that assures that nothing in the resolution shall be construed to prevent modernization and deployment of United States weapons prior to the ratification of the resolution objectives by the Soviet Union and the United States;

An amendment that proposes that the House and Senate Foreign Affairs Committees study measures relating to reductions in nuclear weapons as proposed in the resolution;

An amendment, as amended, providing that no negotiated freeze should prevent the United States from such measures with respect to our strategic systems as are necessary to protect the lives of the United States personnel operating those systems;

An amendment that defines a nuclear delivery vehicle and provides that a freeze agreement will not preclude the one-for-one replacement of such devices to preserve the credibility of the United States nuclear deterrence;

An amendment that specifies that the resolution should not be construed to prevent modernization or deployment of United States "dual delivery" systems to maintain the capability of the United States defense posture;

An amendment that specifies that no action shall be taken that will obligate the United States to disarm or to reduce its armaments, except pursuant to the treaty-making power of the President or unless authorized by further legislative action by Congress;

An amendment that clarifies that submarines are not considered delivery systems;

An amendment, as amended, that broadens the freeze scope of the resolution to include non-nuclear systems;

An amendment that provides that nothing in the resolution shall be construed by United States negotiators to mandate any agreement that would jeopardize the United States' ability to preserve freedom;

An amendment, as amended, that assures that the negotiations provided by the resolution shall not jeopardize the maintaining of essential equivalence and a stable balance in nuclear deterrent capabilities (agreed to by a recorded vote of 407 ayes to 3 noes, Roll No. 57); and

An amendment that includes in the freeze provisions strategic air defense systems.

Rejected:

An amendment that sought to state that any negotiated freeze must provide for essential equivalence in overall nuclear capabilities "at present and in the future" (rejected by a recorded vote of 204 ayes to 211 noes, Roll No. 56); and

An amendment to the foregoing amendment that sought to clarify the relevance of the ages of weapons in the equivalence provisions in a negotiated freeze.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 9249, 9264. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 5:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, and Rural Development held a hearing to review the Federal Crop Insurance Program. Testimony was heard from Representative Alexander and agency witnesses.

FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE BUDGET

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations, and Nutrition held a hearing to review fiscal year 1984 budget for the Food and Nutrition Service, USDA. Testimony was heard from Representatives Jeffords and Moody; departmental and public witnesses.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on Navy Shipbuilding. Testimony was heard from George A. Sawyer, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Shipbuilding and Logistics; VAdm. R. L. Walters, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Surface Warfare and VAdm. E. B. Fowler, Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command.

HUD, INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on HUD-Independent Agencies continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from Members of Congress and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior continued hearings on the Bureau of Indian Affairs. Testimony was heard from Kenneth L. Smith,

Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior.

LABOR-HHS AND EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS and Education held a hearing on the National Cancer Institute and the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences. Testimony was heard from Dr. Vincent DeVita, Director, National Cancer Institute and David Rall, Director, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, both with the Department of Health and Human Services.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on pending fiscal year 1983 reprogrammings; increases and cost overruns. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Norman G. Delbridge, Jr., Assistant Chief of Engineers, USA; RAdm. W. M. Zobel, Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, USN, and Maj. Gen. Clifton D. Wright, Director of Engineering and Services, USAF.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation continued hearings on the Urban Mass Transportation Administration. Testimony was heard from Arthur E. Teele, Jr., Administrator, Urban Mass Transportation Administration, Department of Transportation.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE, GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service, General Government held a hearing on the Executive Residence; Residence of the Vice President; the Council of Economic Advisors; and on Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations. Testimony was heard from Martin Feldstein, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisors.

MX MISSILE

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on the proposal of the President's Commission on Strategic Forces regarding the MX. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the President's Commission on Strategic Forces: Brent Scowcroft, Chairman; John M. Deutch, John H. Lyons and R. James Woolsey, all members of the Commission.

COST OF SPARE PARTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on increases in cost of spare parts in the Air Force. Testimony was heard from Representative Kasich.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on Title II, Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, H.R. 2287, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1984. Testimony was heard from Richard D. DeLauer, Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering; RAdm. Robert E. Kirksey, USN, Director, Strategy, Plans and Policy Division, Office of Chief of Naval Operations; VAdm. Gordon R. Nagler, USN, Director, Command and Control, Department of the Navy; Maj. Gen. Robert D. Beckel, USAF, Director of Operations, Deputy Chief of Staff for Plans and Operations, Headquarters, USAF, and Brig. Gen. Robert D. Eaglet, USAF, Deputy Chief of Staff for Plans and Programs, Air Force Systems Command, Department of the Air Force.

Hearings continue April 22.

DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL BASE REVITALIZATION ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization concluded hearings on H.R. 2057, Defense Industrial Base Revitalization Act, and related bills. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC RECOVERY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions, Supervision, Regulation and Insurance held a hearing on H.J. Res. 208, expressing the sense of the Congress that the United States should use the upcoming economic summit meetings to indicate its willingness to pursue monetary and fiscal policies necessary to stimulate growth in this country and help lead a world economic recovery. Testimony was heard from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General, GAO; Elinor G. Constable, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Economic and Business Affairs; Marc E. Leland, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING AND URBAN-RURAL RECOVERY ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development continued markup of H.R. 1, Housing and Urban-Rural Recovery Act of 1983.

Will continue tomorrow.

AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT FUND, ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK AND FUND, AND THE INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development Institutions and Finance concluded hearings on the authorization for the African Development Fund, Asian Development Bank and Fund, and Inter-American Development Bank. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Trade, Investment and Monetary Policy concluded hearings on Export-Import Bank reauthorization. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

REHABILITATION ACT AMENDMENTS; CONGRESSIONAL AWARD ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2461, amended, to extend and improve the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and to provide for the operation of the Helen Keller National Center for Deaf-Blind Youths and Adults, and H.R. 2357, Congressional Award Act.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary, and Vocational Education continued oversight hearings on the use of Federal funds authorized under Title III and IV-C of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOLLOW THROUGH AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on H.R. 2148, Follow Through Amendments of 1983. Testimony was heard from Representative Porter; the following officials of the Department of Education: Dr. Lawrence Davenport, Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education; Lewis J. McGuinness, Director of Follow Through; Monika Edwards Harrision, Director, Policy, Planning and Executive Operations, and John Staehle, Acting Director, Compensatory Education Programs, and public witnesses.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations held a hearing on H.R. 1743, to amend the National Labor Relations Act to authorize the Secretary of Labor to prohibit the awarding of Federal contracts to persons who

have violated certain judicial orders or orders issued by the National Labor Relations Board. Testimony was heard from Representative Simon and public witnesses.

NONDISCRIMINATION IN INSURANCE ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Transportation, and Tourism approved for full Committee action H.R. 100, Nondiscrimination in Insurance Act.

NATURAL GAS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Fossil and Synthetic Fuels continued hearings on pending natural gas legislation. Testimony was heard from C. M. Butler, III, Chairman, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

STATE AND LOCAL ASSISTANCE ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations and Human Resources began markup of State and Local Assistance Act of 1972, as amended (H.R. 1930 and related bills).

Will continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL ELECTIONS COMMISSION AUTHORIZATION; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2621, to authorize appropriations for the Federal Election Commission for fiscal year 1984.

The Committee also approved recommendations from the following Subcommittees: Accounts; Personnel and Police, and Office Systems.

DEDICATE GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL RECREATION AREA TO PHILLIP BURTON

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2600, to dedicate the Golden Gate National Recreation Area to Phillip Burton.

NRC AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Energy and the Environment approved for full Committee action as amended H.R. 2510, to authorize appropriations to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission in accordance with section 261 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 and section 305 of the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Civil Liberties, and the Administration of Justice held an oversight hearing on Patent and Trademark

Office. Testimony was heard from Gerald J. Mos-singhoff, Commissioner, U.S. Patent and Trade-marks Office, Department of Commerce.

The Subcommittee also concluded oversight hear-ings on the Legal Services Corporation authoriza-tion. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice continued oversight hearing on Exclusionary Rule. Testimony was heard from D. Lowell Jensen, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, De-partment of Justice and public witnesses.

FEDERAL BOAT SAFETY ACT AMENDMENTS; OVERSIGHT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcom-mittee on Coast Guard and Navigation approved for full Committee action as amended H.R. 2163, to amend the Federal Boat Safety Act of 1971.

The Subcommittee also held an oversight hearing on H.R. 2222, Comprehensive Oil Pollution Liabil-ity and Compensation Act, and related bills. Testi-mony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Coast Guard: Adm. Bobbie Hollingsworth, Chief, Office of Marine Environment and Systems and Capt. Frederick Burgess, Chief, Maritime Inter-national Law Division and public witnesses.

JOB CREATION PROPOSALS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Sub-committee on Economic Development held a hear-ing on proposals to stimulate short-term job creation and long-term repair, renovation and construction of public facilities. Testimony was heard from Ray Kramer, Mayor, Asbury Park, New Jersey and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing one hour of debate on H.R. 2065, to authorize ap-propriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, con-struction of facilities, and research and program management. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fuqua and Representative Winn.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Envi-ronment approved for full Committee action the Department of Energy authorization for fiscal year 1984-Environmental R&D Programs.

SMALL BUSINESS ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on SBA and SBIC Authority, Minority Enterprise and Gen-

eral Small Business Problems concluded hearings on H.R. 863, to amend the Small Business Act. Testi-mony was heard from James C. Sanders, Administra-tor, SBA; Victor M. Rivera, Director, Minority Business Development Agency Department of Com-merce and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade approved for full Committee action as amend-ed H.R. 2602, to authorize appropriations for the U.S. International Trade Commission, the U.S. Cus-toms Service, and the Office of the U.S. Trade Rep-resentative for fiscal year 1984.

The Subcommittee began markup of H.R. 2083, to improve worker training under the Trade Act of 1974.

NICARAGUA

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in exec-utive session to hold a hearing on Nicaragua. Testi-mony was heard from George P. Shultz, Secretary of State.

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Thursday, April 21, 1983

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9405-9537

Measures Introduced: Sixteen bills and four resolu-tions were introduced, as follows: S. 1120-1135, S.J. Res. 87-88 and S. Res. 120-121.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 529, to revise and reform the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute (with addi-tional and minority views). (S. Rept. No. 98-62)

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Measures Passed:

75th Anniversary of U.S. Army Reserve: Senate agreed to S. Res. 120, commending the U.S. Army Reserve on the occasion of its 75th Anniversary.

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National Organ Donation Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 78, authorizing and request-ing the President to issue a proclamation designat-ing April 24 through April 30, 1983, as "National Organ Donation Awareness Week," after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Stevens (for Helms) Amendment No. 1198, pro-viding that, upon request of the North Carolina School of the Arts, Winston-Salem, North Carolina,